

LEGION MEN HERE OPPOSE BONUS PLAN

Believe Recommendation of National Committee Is Reversal of Convention Decision

SACRIFICES AN IDEAL

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Pennsylvania was one of the leading factors in the Legion which brought about the stand against the granting of a bonus at the national convention. The national executive committee has virtually nullified the stand of the national convention by placing itself on record as favoring a bond of \$50 for each month of service to relieve the financial strain incurred by persons incident to their active military service. The national convention at Minneapolis took the stand that it would leave with Congress the matter of deciding whether any compensation should be paid former service men by way of adjustment for loss suffered by reason of their service.

There are comrades in the Legion who felt that the action of the convention was largely in the nature of side-stepping the issue and in the responsibility along to Congress. The Legion by its present attitude assumes full responsibility of requesting Congress to provide a bonus and in the judgment of some of the leaders in Philadelphia and Pennsylvania destroys the position previously assumed of standing for an ideal rather than for a money consideration.

There has been organized by the Quinlan-Buchanan Post No. 65, a ladies' auxiliary, which is composed of women in the neighborhood of the post who are related to the former service men in the post.

J. W. Study, who was aide to General W. W. Atterbury in France, has been elected commander of Post No. 204, composed of former service men now in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The other officers of this post are M. S. Broomall, vice commander; J. M. O'Brien, adjutant, and C. R. Dobbins, finance officer.

After a spirited debate from the floor at their meeting in the Frankford Library Building, Tuesday evening, February 17, Post No. 211 decided to name their post the Frankford Post of the American Legion. It was also moved

that a bronze tablet with the twenty-eight names of the comrades killed in action be placed upon the new home the post is purchasing at 4521 Paul street.

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You are not accustomed to thinking of ink in terms of weight because a very little will supply your writing needs for a long time. But the ink used in a single edition of The Delineator is over 10 tons; 133 times the weight of an average man. Is part of this ink printing your message to a million progressive homes?

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY NINETEENTH



DRESSES

Women Will Admire

New spring models in Women's Serge and Taffeta Silk Dresses for immediate wear. At \$47.50—Taffeta Silk Dresses in Flemish or navy blue, brown or black. The style sketched is one of the smart long plaited tunic effects, with ribbon-trimmed lace vest. Other models are bloused, with draped bodice, on straight lines. Skirts with scalloped tunic or in apron effect.

For trimmings—soft plaitings, frillings, graceful collars, the newest effects in sashes and girdles—\$47.50.

At \$22.50—Navy Blue or Black Serge Dresses, smart and inexpensive. A woman may choose the model most becoming from styles with vestee or collarless neck-line. Dresses tucked or braided-trimmed, with decorative tailored pockets—\$22.50.

Women's New Wool Dresses, \$16.50 to \$135.00
Women's New Silk Dresses, \$22.50 to \$225.00
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street

TOYS

Used as Floor Samples Are Now Reduced Close to One-Half

Shoo-Fly Rocking Horses—now \$1.25 to \$3.00.
Coaster Express Wagons—now \$2.00.
Children's Automobiles—\$10.75.
Doll Coaches—\$3.00 to \$15.00.
Aeroplane Cars—\$2.75.
Horse Toggles, like a kiddie car—\$2.50.
Dolls' Houses, to build—50c.
Rocking Chairs—\$2.50.
Toys for children to pull—reduced one-third to one-half.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Fourth Floor

New Hats in All Their Glory

Paris says a number of things about new millinery. And what Paris says we have translated into these bewitching new Hats. Small models, for that "first" Hat, some styles off-the-face, others with graceful side roll, as well as roll brims, sailors, saucy tricornes and picturesque undulating brim models. And the trimmings—raffia embroidery, narrow ribbons, fruits and small flowers, often cired or lacquered. The Hat sketched shows one of the interesting new feather trimmings. Novel pin ornaments are featured on chic Tailored Hats. A distinctive group—\$10.00 to \$18.00.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street, West

Men's Neckwear Made Here and in London

Fine English Foulards and Silk-Knitted Neckwear from Welsh, Margretson & Co. and Allen Solly & Co., of London.
Handsome woven and knitted Silks from America's foremost manufacturers.
These we have assembled in an assortment of remarkable breadth, with good taste paramount. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$7.00.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Alley 1, Market Street

Several Thousand Pairs of Women's Smart Oxfords and Pumps Reduced

This is a most attractive collection of several thousand pairs of fashionable Oxfords and Pumps from our regular stock (Laird, Schober and other famous makes), marked at \$7.95 a pair. All have been sold at a considerably higher price. Many are worth ONE-HALF MORE, and some are worth NEARLY DOUBLE the reduced price. WHY? Because we contracted for them almost a year ago, at much less than present prices. They were not delivered until late in the autumn. We were glad to accept them, knowing they could not be duplicated at the prices we paid. And now we mark these EXCLUSIVE Low Shoes at a wonderfully low price, just in time for spring, when every woman wants them—

Wetted Oxfords Turn-Sole Pumps \$7.95

THE OXFORDS in a variety of very attractive styles—chestnut brown and mahogany calf; black gun-metal calf, black glazed kidskin and patent leather. Various smart styles in tips and perforations, some plain pumps; wetted soles and leather heels.

THE PUMPS—dainty turned-sole models; brown and mahogany calf, black domino calf, patent leather, gun-metal, black glazed kidskin. Smart new exclusive styles. Wonderful value—try to be early to-morrow. —Strawbridge & Clothier—Eighth and Filbert Streets

Women's New SKIRTS

PLAID SKIRTS, plain tailored, box-plaited, side- or accordion-plaited. Gay plaids, dark, quiet plaids, large plaids, small plaids—but, at any rate, a Plaid Wool Skirt—\$15.00 to \$35.00.

SILK SKIRTS, in white, delicate tints or deeper-hued, are fashioned of shimmering fancy silks or soft crepes Georgette, some of two fabrics combined. Beautiful new models—\$25.00 to \$35.00.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Filbert Street

Linen Towels and Toweling—Special

Guest Towels of pure linen huckaback with hemstitched ends and damask medallion borders; 14x22 inches—\$9.00 a dozen to-morrow.

Face Towels of linen huckaback, hemstitched ends and medallion borders; 18x32 inches—\$12.00 a dozen to-morrow.

Linen Damask Towels, 21x39 inches, hemstitched ends—\$18.00 a dozen.

Bleached Turkish Towels, full size—60c.

Fancy Turkish Towels, bath size—\$1.25.

Heavy Scotch Linen Toweling, for hand, kitchen or roller towels—50c a yard.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Alley 12, Centre

We Still Have a Good Supply of Those Men's Soft Hats at \$2.75

—Which price is less than half the retail value of Hats of this grade. Various good styles and colors for the present and coming season.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street, East

We Calculated to Sell Approximately \$160,000 Worth of Men's Clothing this Week for \$100,000—the Greatest Amount Ever Offered at Such Reductions at One Time—and Each Price-Group is Replenished and Strengthened for To-morrow.

The Clearance of surplus stocks is a regular occurrence each season, but never before have conditions been as they now are. There is no surplus stock in the manufacturing market, cost of production is higher than ever, with no sign of any reduction in the near future. We are paying more for Spring Clothing than we paid for this winter stock. Yet we follow our custom, and REDUCE PRICES in order to reduce our stock quickly and make room for spring and summer lines, now coming in.

Savings Average More Than One-Third

Both Suits and Overcoats for men and young men at each of the following prices—every one reduced—\$18.50, \$23.50, \$28.00, \$33.50, \$38.00, \$43.00 and \$48.50. Also men's Suits of finest Hockanum worsteds reduced to \$59.00, and men's imported London Overcoats reduced to \$68.50.

Fur-lined Overcoats reduced—now \$87.50 to \$315.00; Fur-collar Overcoats reduced to \$33.50, \$52.50 and \$68.50.
—Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, East

BUSINESS HOURS, NINE TO FIVE-THIRTY

Strawbridge & Clothier February Furniture Sale

AFTER this Sale closes it will be a long time before such values in Furniture will again be obtainable anywhere. We shall carry out our plan to the letter, however, to give our customers the choice of our ENTIRE STOCK during February at less than our regular prices—any Bedroom Suit, any Dining-room Suit, any upholstered Library or Living-room Suit, any one of the hundreds of odd pieces at a considerable saving of money. All of our great assortment of Sun Parlor or Summer Furniture is also in the Sale at reduced prices. High-class, beautiful, artistic Furniture in extensive variety, but constantly diminishing in quantity, of course. NOW is the time to buy Furniture.

—Strawbridge & Clothier—Furniture, Third Floor; Metal, Bedsteads and Bedding, Fourth Floor, East

Women's Coats Smart Sports Models to Graceful Cape Coats

At \$30.00 to \$150—Coats with capes, Coats in strikingly picturesque cape effect (as sketched). Belted Coats, full, rippling models, and conservative effects.

Fashioned of poplins, tricelines, velours, Bolivias and black-and-white novelty checks. Coats in wonderful variety—\$30.00 to \$150.

From \$20 to \$55—Coats of brown or gray, fancy mixed cloths, in new Sports styles, or longer models.

\$37.50 to \$55.00—Jersey Cloth Coats in heather mixtures, plain tailored or trimmed with stitching and novelty belts.

\$35.00 to \$110.00—A group of distinctive new Coats of tan polo cloth or camel-hair so in vogue.

Winter Coats Reduced

A few models in Women's Winter Coats, attractive styles at clearance prices—

Now \$25.00 to \$60.00
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Centre

To-morrow—Royal Wilton Rugs at Reduced Prices

All that need be said to attract a host of customers is that we have several hundred Royal Wilton Rugs, in the three sizes most in request, in a variety of excellent designs and colorings, at decisive reductions—

Size 9x12 Feet—now \$95.00
Size 8x10.6 Feet—now \$89.50
Size 6x9 Feet—now \$57.50
—Strawbridge & Clothier—Fourth Floor, West

Cotton Waists \$1.65 to \$2.95

Women will be delighted with the wealth of choice in dainty Cotton Waists at such low prices:

At \$1.65—Plenty of styles in White Voile Waists trimmed with lace and embroidery, as well as trim Tailored Waists of fancy-stripe voile, Russian cord or batiste, with smart collars.

At \$1.85—Waists of cross-bar voile, one style with convertible collar, the other in vest effect with flat collar of plain voile.

At \$1.95—Model after model in Voile Waists trimmed in new effects with lace and embroidery. Also attractive Batiste Blouses with collars and cuffs trimmed with white pique or pink and blue lawn.

At \$2.95—Tailored Waists in lovely colored effects, some embroidered in unusual designs. Many lace-and-embroidery-trimmed styles of white voile, also at \$2.95.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Centre

Girls' Dresses New Fashions

New fabrics, new shades, new styles in the lovely youthful models that are suited to the piquant style of girls from 6 to 12 and their sisters of 12 to 16 in the intermediate stage, often so hard to fit.

For Intermediate Girls WA S H DRESSES, in becoming new styles, combination Coats, two-piece Russian models, or straight belted effects, with all the newest trimmings in embroidery, fancy stitching, collars, belts and sashes.

Dresses of plaid and checked gingham, plain chambray, crepe, Peter Pan cloth or linen in the newest colorings—\$5.50 to \$22.50. The style sketched, \$15.00.

SILK DRESSES, crisp taffetas in rose, navy or Copenhagen blue, designed for the hard-to-fit girl. Models with draped or peplum waist, full skirt or set-on overskirt, all with some special style feature in cut and trimming—\$29.50 to \$42.50.

For Girls of 6 to 12 Years REGULATION DRESSES, in straight Russian yoke style, belted. Of all-white jean or white with braided blue sailor collar and cuffs—\$5.00.

SCHOOL DRESSES, in the prettiest of styles and colorings—plaid, checked or striped gingham, linen or chambray—\$3.00 to \$5.00.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, Market Street

Reliable Electric Vacuum Cleaners

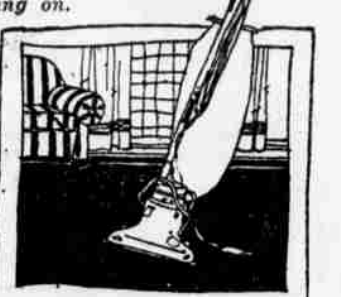
in the Sale at \$24.50

These Vacuum Cleaners have been made for us by one of America's foremost manufacturers in this particular field.

Unusually light in weight—a child can easily carry it.

The powerful little electric motor generates a forceful suction that cleans thoroughly and quickly.

One of the hundreds of unusual values in the Semi-Annual Sale of House-furnishings now going on.



Many a woman whose home is wired for electricity has longed for a Vacuum Cleaner such as this one. Now is the time to satisfy that longing, for the Sale price—\$24.50—is many dollars less than the actual retail value.
—Strawbridge & Clothier—Basement

New Wool Velours

The new shades in Wool Velours are lovely—tan, elk, reindeer, Pekin and sapphire blue, as well as brown, navy blue and other wanted tones. Women who pride themselves on dressing in the best of taste are buying Wool Velour for smart suits and coats. In 54-inch width—\$6.50 a yard.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Alley 1, Centre

New Fabric Gloves

Men's Doette Fabric Gloves, in gray, serviceable and good looking—\$2.00.

Women's Duplex Gloves, in smart, strap-wrist style, in colors—\$3.00.

Children's Doette Fabric Gloves, white and colors—\$1.35.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Alley 13, Market Street

New Music Rolls for Player-Piano

You will want to add to your collection the music from Apple Blossoms, the beautiful new musical comedy:

Apple Blossoms, selection—\$1.25.
Nancy's Farewell, with words—\$1.00.

When the Wedding Bells Are Ringing, with words—\$1.00.
You Are Free, with words—\$1.25.

WORD ROLLS
Dardanella, fox-trot—\$1.35.
I Am Climbing Mountains, ballad—\$1.25.

My Isle of Golden Dreams, waltz—\$1.25.
On Miami Shore, waltz—\$1.25.

Tents of Arabia, one-step—\$1.00.
You Se, sympathetic, fox-trot—\$1.25.
Strawbridge & Clothier—Fifth Floor, West



Economy

The owner who chooses standardized Nu-Dura-Tin Roofing is at once in position of a two-fold advantage. Nu-Dura-Tin is less expensive than competing materials of supposed equal value.

Nu-Dura-Tin, with proper care, is proof against fire, water, heat and cold, wind and weather.

Nu-Dura-Tin is most economical because it lasts longer, because it obviates the necessity of heavy under timbers, because it costs less in the beginning and less to keep in condition.

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